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**Preliminary Amendment**

Sir:

Prior to examining the above- referenced patent application, please make the following amendments:

**In the Specification**

Please insert the following paragraph before the paragraph that begins on page 2, line 4 of the application.

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**Related Patent Applications**

B. This patent application is related to U.S Patent Application Serial No. 09/118,581, entitled "System and Method for Fast Phong Shading".